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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 7178**
Hiroki TERAOKA et al. : Docket No. 2004_0448A
Serial No. 10/803,954 : Group Art Unit 2838
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BATTERY PACK AND METHOD
OF DETECTING BATTERY PACK
ABNORMALITIES

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 7, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.